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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Tatsundo AOSHIMA et al.

Application No.: 10/081,486

Filed: February 20, 2002

For: ONE-TIME LOGON METHOD  
FOR DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING  
SYSTEMS

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 1487

Examiner: Courtney D. Fields

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2006, on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.